Muncie Police Merit Commission

Call to order:

A meeting of the Muncie Police Merit Commission was held on Tuesday, May 18, 2021 at 300 N. High Street Muncie, IN 47305- Police Roll Call Room- Basement Jonathan Mitchell called the meeting to order at 6:37 pm

Roll Call:

Attendees included -Jonathan Mitchell, Deb Mace, Dea Bell and Chief Sloan

Members not in attendance:

Members not in attendance- Phillip Miller

Approval of minutes:

Deb Mace made a motion to accept the May 4, 2021 meeting minutes as presented, Dea Bell seconded the motion. Motion to accept meeting minutes as presented is carried by voice vote.

Business from Chief Sloan:

Chief Sloan read a resignation letter from Officer Dalton Kurtz. His resignation is effective May 17, 2021. Dea Bell made a motion to accept the resignation letter. Deb Mace seconded the motion. Motion to accept the resignation letter for Officer Dalton Kurtz is carried by voice vote.

Chief requested to begin a new hiring process with the application deadline being July 16, 2021. Dea Bell made a motion to begin a new hiring process. Deb Mace seconded the motion. Motion to begin a new hiring process is carried by voice vote.

Business from Attorney Mark Ervin:

Mark states he was approached by Pierce McCurdy with Ball State. He asked if the Merit Commission would be interested in having him attend a meeting to talk about potential linkages between the University, City and the Police Department. The Commission agrees that it would be a good idea to have him attend an open meeting.

Other Business:

Adjournment:

Deb Mace made a motion to adjourn. Dea Bell seconded the motion. Motion to adjourn is carried by voice vote. Meeting adjourned at 6:41 pm.



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May 17, 2021

Police Chief Nathan Sloan 300 North High Street Muncie, Indiana 47305

Re: Muncie Police Officer Dalton Kurtz

Our File No.: 53254-19001

Dear Chief Sloan:

I trust that this correspondence finds you well. As we recently discussed by telephone, I represent the interests of Muncie Police Officer Dalton Kurtz. While it has been his honor and privilege to serve you and the citizens of the City of Muncie, I write to inform you that Officer Kurtz submits his resignation from the Muncie Police Department, effective today, May 17, 2021. If you would please direct me to the person within your Administration whom we need to work with to complete the necessary paperwork and account for a final pay down of all accrued monies owed Officer Kurtz, I would appreciate it. If he/she prefers, I can be reached at (260) 426-9706. I will also work with you and the Department to see that all City-owned property is promptly returned, including Officer Kurtz's police vehicle.

Thank you in advance for your time and consideration. Stay safe.

Kindest Regards,

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cc: Dalton Kurtz AMH/jlb:38Q5211

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